Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 20 Aug 2024 until 23:59 on Wednesday 21 Aug 2024

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 20 Aug 2024 at 02:20

Confidence: High for the very changeable conditions to continue, low for Friday's weather

Headline for Tuesday 20 Aug 2024: Sunny intervals and showers, some heavy with chance of thunder. Windy with gales later.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 20 Aug 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny	Sunny intervals	Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
10%	20%	50%	50%	30%	20%

Forecast for Tuesday 20 Aug 2024

Weather: A dry sunny start. Then an increasing chance of showers breaking out from late morning and through the afternoon, these brief but quite heavy with the slight chance of thunder. Showers turning lighter and more isolated through the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 80-90% by day.

Low cloud and visibility: Patches 500-750m first thing but becoming broken and mainly above the tops during the day with the odd patch to 800m near showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	25/34 W	28/39 W	30/43 W	34/49 W	38/55 W	34/48 W	29/41 W
300	10/20 W	16/28 W	18/32 W	20/36 W	23/40 W	18/34 W	14/26 W
Valley	9/21 W	14/28 W	15/30 W	17/35 W	18/37 W	14/31 W	10/23 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/2	8/3	9/5	9/4	9/4	7/2	7/2
300	9/7	11/8	13/9	13/9	12/8	10/6	9/6
Valley	10/8	12/10	14/11	14/11	13/10	11/8	10/8
Freezing Level*	1600m	1400m	1700m	1700m	1600m	1600m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Despite the autumnal weather conditions, UV levels are still high and sun protection is advised

Forecast for Wednesday 21 Aug 2024

Weather: A bright start with sunny intervals, however cloud then thickening and lowering from mid-morning with occasional rain in the afternoon, mostly dying out in the evening.

Maximum wind: West 30mph gusts 40mph becoming southwesterly and strengthening 40 gusts 55mph in the afternoon and perhaps 55 gusts 70mph in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90% at first falling 30% by late morning, probably improving in evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Broken cloud at first above tops with good visibility. Then layer cloud forming at 600-750m from late morning in afternoon with some lower patches over southern and western exposures and occasional reduced visibility at lower levels in rain. Cloud probably lifting in the evening.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 11 rising to Plus 17 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 8 rising to Plus 10 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits

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